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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of

**HALLER**

Application No. 10/812,833

Filing Date: March 30, 2004

For: **DEVICE AND METHOD FOR  
SPRINGING A VEHICLE SEAT**

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) Art Unit: 3632  
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) Examiner: Wujciak, Alfred J.  
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) Confirmation No.: 3114  
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NEEDLE & ROSENBERG, P.C.  
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December 17, 2007

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Transmitted herewith is the following in the above-identified application:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> No Additional Fee Required         | <input type="checkbox"/> Terminal Disclaimer      |
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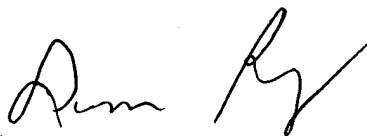
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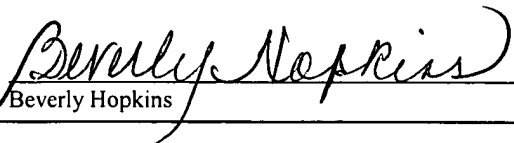


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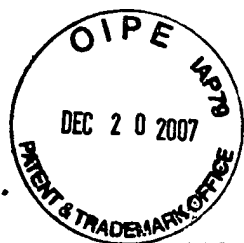
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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER  
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

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Dear Sir:

Applicant or patent owner hereby appeals under 37 C.F.R. § 41.31 to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner dated July 19, 2007 finally rejecting claims 1-13 and 15.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

1. ☒ An extension of time to respond to the final rejection:
  - (a) ☒ was obtained for 2 month(s).
  - (b) ☐ is requested herewith under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136.
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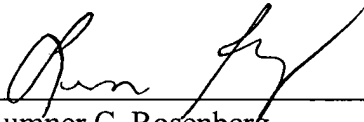
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- ☒ Appeal fee amount pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §41.20(b)(1) = \$510.00 – Large Entity.  
☐ Extension of time fee amount pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)( ) = \$0.00
3. ☐ Enclosed is a Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review and \_\_\_\_ sheets of reasons.

The amount authorized on PTO-2038 is believed to be correct; however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 14-0629.

Respectfully submitted,

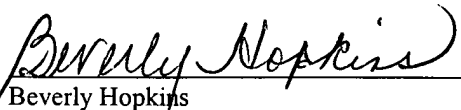
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